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In re Application of :
Chhabra, et al. :
Application No. 10/080,931 : **ON PETITION**
Filed: February 21, 2002 :
Attorney Docket No. 3645.US.P :

This is a decision on the petition to revive under
37 CFR 1.137(b), filed April 6, 2007.

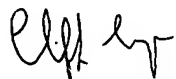
The petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) is **GRANTED**.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to timely file a proper response to the final Office action mailed August 11, 2005, which set a shortened statutory period for reply of three (3) months. No response having been received, the application became abandoned on November 12, 2005. A Notice of Abandonment was mailed on March 23, 2006. Applicants filed a petition to withdraw the holding of abandonment on January 23, 2007. However, the petition was dismissed in a decision mailed on March 12, 2007.

With the instant petition, applicants paid the petition fee, made the proper statement of unintentional delay, and submitted the required reply in the form of an RCE (and fee) and submission (an Amendment).

The matter is being forwarded to Group Art Unit 2193 for consideration of the RCE filed April 6, 2007.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571)272-3207.

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